

Dr. Hanna Home
Marion, Alabama

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DR. HANNA HOME
Marion, Perry County, Alabama.

Ownership:

Present Owner: Dr. R. C. Hanna. From 1912 to present time.
Previous Owners: Mr. H. H. Hurt. From 1885 to 1912.
Mr. David Scott. From 1862 to 1885
Mr. Joseph Whitsit. From 1858 to 1862.

Date of Erection: 1858.

Architect: Unknown.

Builder: Mr. Joseph Whitsit.

Present Condition: Good state of preservation; remains as originally constructed and kept in good repair. The old kitchen and smoke house remain intact.

Number of Stories: Two.

Materials of Construction: Frame with tin roof. It has four 1 large round smooth columns which extend to the roof, also a small balcony with iron railings over the front door; the exterior walls are of 6" heart of pine weather-boarding. The building consists of seventeen rooms and two halls. Each of the four large rooms upstairs have a dressing room. The railings of the stairway are of mahogany and are hand carved; the interior walls are of plaster; the floors on the first floor have been replaced with hardwood, the upstairs are of 8" heart of pine..

Other Existing Records:

Additional Data: This building was used as headquarters for the Federals during the war between the States, and was badly abused. It has very spacious front and rear lawns with trees and shrubbery which are typical of the South.

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